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#### **Edmonds Police Arrest Man Following an Attempted Residential Burglary**

On Thursday, April 28, 2011, at 11:26 a.m. Edmonds Police responded to the 1300 block of 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue South when a resident of that neighborhood reported seeing a man prowling around homes there. The witness watched the suspect, an adult white male approximately 25 years of age, prowl around one home on 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue South before he went to another home on 6<sup>th</sup> Place South. The suspect finally went to a third home on 6<sup>th</sup> Place South where he attempted to kick in the front door. However, the 35-year old homeowner was present inside the residence, so he confronted the would-be burglar. A struggle ensued between the victim and suspect before the man fled on foot, leaving his backpack and hat behind. Edmonds officers obtained a detailed description of the fleeing suspect and then began their search for him. A Lynnwood Police K-9 unit also responded to assist. The suspect, a 25-year old Edmonds man, was located in the 9700 block of Edmonds Way where he was taken into custody.

The investigation continues.

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